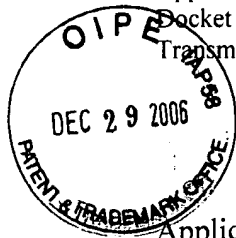


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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

CLAIMS AS FILED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	18	20	0	X 50	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	4	4	0	X 200	\$0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$0.00

(X) 10 Pages of Response to Office Action

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- (X) Please charge any additional fees for any additional extension of time or otherwise and credit any overpayment to deposit Account No. 11-1159.

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In reply to the Office action of October 11, 2006, Applicants submits the
20 following amendments and remarks.

Amendment to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendment to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on
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Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.